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WORK TO BEGIN ON MARYLAND RT. 85 AT I-270 SHORT-TERM IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

FREDERICK, MD -- The Frederick County Office of Transportation Engineering advises the public that the Francis O. Day Company, Inc., of Rockville, Maryland, will begin work on the MD 85 at I-270 Short Term Improvement Project on or after May 5, 2014.

The work includes roadway widening, storm water management facilities, drainage improvements, placement of traffic barrier, reconstruction of an existing traffic signal, maintenance of traffic and signing and marking.

Northern limits of work on MD 85 are at the approximate intersection with Spectrum Drive while the southern limits of work are located at the Interstate 270 overpass of MD 85. Much of the work within the Maryland State Highway Administration right-of-way on MD 85 is scheduled to be conducted between the hours of 10:00 p.m. until 6:00 a.m. Weather conditions permitting, the project is scheduled for completion by late fall 2014.

For additional information about this project, contact Blair Hovatter, Office of Transportation Engineering at 301-600-3508 or via e-mail at bhovatter@frederickcountymd.gov.

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